

Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes, pursuant to House Resolution 560, he reported the bill back to the House with sundry amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

Is a separate vote demanded on any amendment? If not, the Chair will put them en gros.

The amendments were agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 216, nays 202, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 428]

YEAS—216

Abercrombie	Ehlers	Largent
Archer	Ehrlich	Larson
Armey	Emerson	Latham
Bachus	English	LaTourette
Baird	Everett	Lazio
Baldacci	Ewing	Leach
Ballenger	Fletcher	Lewis (CA)
Barrett (NE)	Forbes	Linder
Bass	Fossella	Lipinski
Bateman	Fowler	LoBiondo
Bereuter	Frelinghuysen	Lucas (OK)
Berry	Gallegly	Manzullo
Biggert	Ganske	Martinez
Bilbray	Gibbons	Mascara
Bilirakis	Gilchrest	McCarthy (NY)
Bishop	Gillmor	McCrery
Billey	Gillman	McHugh
Blunt	Goodling	McKeon
Boehlert	Goss	Meek (FL)
Boehner	Graham	Mica
Bonilla	Granger	Miller (FL)
Bono	Green (WI)	Miller, Gary
Boyd	Greenwood	Mink
Brady (TX)	Gutknecht	Mollohan
Brown (FL)	Hansen	Moran (KS)
Bryant	Hastert	Moran (VA)
Burr	Hastings (FL)	Morella
Buyer	Hastings (WA)	Murtha
Callahan	Hayes	Myrick
Calvert	Hill (MT)	Nethercutt
Camp	Hobson	Ney
Canady	Hoekstra	Northup
Cannon	Holden	Norwood
Castle	Horn	Nussle
Chambliss	Houghton	Ose
Clayton	Hulshof	Oxley
Clyburn	Hunter	Packard
Coble	Hutchinson	Pascarell
Collins	Hyde	Payne
Combest	Isakson	Pease
Cox	Istook	Peterson (PA)
Cubin	Jenkins	Pickering
Cunningham	John	Pitts
Davis (VA)	Johnson (CT)	Pombo
Deal	Johnson, Sam	Porter
DeLay	Kanjorski	Portman
DeMint	Kaptur	Price (NC)
Dickey	Kasich	Pryce (OH)
Dicks	Kelly	Quinn
Dixon	King (NY)	Radanovich
Doggett	Kingston	Regula
Dooley	Klink	Reynolds
Doolittle	Knollenberg	Riley
Doyle	Kolbe	Rogan
Dreier	Kuykendall	Rogers
Dunn	LaHood	Rohrabacher

Roukema	Spence	Visclosky
Royce	Stenholm	Vitter
Ryan (WI)	Stump	Walden
Salmon	Sununu	Walsh
Saxton	Sweeney	Wamp
Serrano	Talent	Watkins
Sessions	Tauscher	Watt (NC)
Shaw	Tauzin	Watts (OK)
Shays	Taylor (NC)	Weldon (PA)
Sherwood	Terry	Whitfield
Shimkus	Thomas	Wicker
Shuster	Thornberry	Wilson
Simpson	Thune	Wolf
Skeen	Tiahrt	Wynn
Smith (MI)	Trafficant	Young (AK)
Smith (TX)	Upton	Young (FL)

NAYS—202

Ackerman	Green (TX)	Ortiz
Aderholt	Gutierrez	Owens
Allen	Hall (OH)	Pallone
Andrews	Hall (TX)	Pastor
Baker	Hefley	Paul
Baldwin	Herger	Pelosi
Barcia	Hill (IN)	Peterson (MN)
Barr	Hilleary	Petri
Barrett (WI)	Hilliard	Phelps
Bartlett	Hinchey	Pickett
Becerra	Hinojosa	Pomeroy
Bentsen	Hoeffel	Rahall
Berkley	Holt	Ramstad
Blagojevich	Hookey	Rangel
Blumenauer	Hostettler	Reyes
Bonior	Hoyer	Rivers
Borski	Inslee	Rodriguez
Boswell	Jackson (IL)	Ros-Lehtinen
Boucher	Jackson-Lee	Rothman
Brady (PA)	(TX)	Roybal-Allard
Brown (OH)	Jefferson	Rush
Capps	Johnson, E. B.	Ryun (KS)
Capuano	Jones (NC)	Sabo
Cardin	Jones (OH)	Sanders
Carson	Kennedy	Sandlin
Chabot	Kildee	Sanford
Chenoweth-Hage	Kilpatrick	Sawyer
Clement	Kind (WI)	Scarborough
Coburn	Klecza	Schaffer
Condit	Kucinich	Schakowsky
Conyers	LaFalce	Scott
Cook	Lampson	Sensenbrenner
Costello	Lantos	Shadegg
Coyne	Lee	Sherman
Cramer	Levin	Shows
Crane	Lewis (GA)	Sisisky
Crowley	Lewis (KY)	Skelton
Cummings	Lofgren	Slaughter
Danner	Lowey	Smith (NJ)
Davis (FL)	Lucas (KY)	Snyder
Davis (IL)	Luther	Souder
DeFazio	Maloney (CT)	Spratt
DeGette	Maloney (NY)	Stabenow
DeLauro	Markey	Stark
Deutsch	Matsui	Stearns
Diaz-Balart	McCarthy (MO)	Strickland
Dingell	McCollum	Stupak
Duncan	McDermott	Tancred
Edwards	McGovern	Tanner
Engel	McIntyre	Taylor (MS)
Eshoo	McKinney	Thompson (CA)
Etheridge	McNulty	Thompson (MS)
Evans	Meehan	Thurman
Farr	Meeks (NY)	Tierney
Fattah	Menendez	Toomey
Filner	Metcalfe	Towns
Foley	Millender	Turner
Ford	McDonald	Udall (CO)
Frank (MA)	Miller, George	Udall (NM)
Franks (NJ)	Minge	Velazquez
Frost	Moakley	Waxman
Gejdenson	Moore	Weiner
Gekas	Nadler	Weldon (FL)
Gephardt	Napolitano	Wexler
Gonzalez	Neal	Weygand
Goode	Oberstar	Wise
Goodlatte	Obey	Woolsey
Gordon	Oliver	Wu

NOT VOTING—17

Baca	Cooksey	Sanchez
Barton	Delahunt	Smith (WA)
Berman	Hayworth	Vento
Burton	McInnis	Waters
Campbell	McIntosh	Weller
Clay	Roemer	

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Messrs. Gary MILLER of California, CUNNINGHAM, PAYNE, COX, RILEY and EVERETT changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(Mr. BONIOR asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I rise to inquire of the gentleman from California (Mr. DREIER) the schedule for the remainder of the week and next week.

Mr. Speaker, I yield to the gentleman from California (Mr. DREIER) the distinguished chairman of the Committee on Rules.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I thank my dear friend from Mt. Clemens for yielding to me.

Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to announce that the House has completed its legislative work for the week and am happy to report, and I know it comes as no surprise, that the House will not be in session tomorrow.

The House will next meet on Monday, July 24, at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour debates and 2 o'clock for legislative business. We will consider a number of measures included under suspension of the rules, a list of which will be distributed to Members' offices tomorrow.

On Monday, no recorded votes are expected before 6 p.m. On Tuesday, July 25, and the balance of the week, the House will consider the following measures subject to action by the Committee on Rules:

H.J. Res. 99, disapproving the extension of the waiver authority under the Trade Act of 1974 with respect to Vietnam;

District of Columbia Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2001; and

H.R. 4865, the Social Security Benefits Tax Relief Act.

We also expect, Mr. Speaker, several motions to go to conference on appropriations bills and plan to consider conference reports next week as they become available.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, reclaiming my time, if I might inquire of the distinguished gentleman a couple of questions.

On Monday are we only considering the suspension bills, or does the gentleman plan to move into other legislation?

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman will continue to yield, that is the plan right now. But it is possible that there could be a motion to go to conference on the Foreign Operations appropriation bill.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, may I ask the gentleman from California what

day he expects the Social Security tax issue to come up?

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, it is our anticipation that on Wednesday or Thursday of next week we will most likely consider that.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I ask the gentleman, how about late nights next week? I know there is the Congressional baseball game on Wednesday and the White House picnic on Thursday.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, does the gentleman want me to speak for the full House or the Committee on Rules at this point?

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I ask the gentleman to speak for the Committee on Rules and we will take it as the full House today.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, let me just say that we do not anticipate late nights other than a great celebration by Republicans on the victory which we are anticipating Wednesday evening for the baseball game. And, of course, Thursday is the White House picnic, and I know there is going to be a lot of celebrating at that point, as well.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, that leaves Tuesday and Monday. And we do not know on Monday yet.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, we hope not to be too late with suspensions. It would simply be that motion to go to conference which we were discussing.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, and Friday, is that definite or might that be up in the air?

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, again, the issues of appropriation conference reports that we want to complete before the recess. And it is quite possible that the Labor-HHS conference report would be before us at the end of next week and/or the Legislative Branch appropriations conference report.

I know my friend joins us in wanting to get as much as we possibly can accomplished for this "can do" Congress of ours.

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I thank my friend from California for his comments.

#### APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 4516, LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2001

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 4516) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes, with Senate amendments thereto, disagree to the Senate amendments, and agree to the conference asked by the Senate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PEASE). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from North Carolina?

There was no objection.

MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES OFFERED BY  
MR. PASTOR

Mr. PASTOR. Mr. Speaker, I offer a motion to instruct conferees.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. PASTOR moves that the managers on the part of the House at the Conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the bill H.R. 4516, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 be instructed to insist on the provisions of the Senate amendment with respect to providing \$384,867,000 for the General Accounting Office.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. PASTOR) and the gentleman from North Carolina (Mr. TAYLOR) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. PASTOR.)

Mr. PASTOR. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, this motion to instruct instructs the conferees to fund the General Accounting Office, which is very important to the work of the Congress, at that amount. I would ask my colleagues to support this motion.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, this motion asks the conferees to go along with the Senate amendment on the appropriations level for the General Accounting Office. We have no objection to that and accept the motion.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. PASTOR. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the previous question is ordered.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to instruct offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. PASTOR).

The motion was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

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The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PEASE). Without objection, the Chair appoints the following conferees: Messrs. TAYLOR of North Carolina, WAMP, LEWIS of California, Ms. GRANGER, and Messrs. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, YOUNG of Florida, PASTOR, MURTHA, HOYER, and OBEY.

There was no objection.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING AMENDMENT PROCESS FOR DIS- TRICT OF COLUMBIA APPRO- PRIATIONS ACT, 2001

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. Speaker, a Dear Colleague letter will be sent to all Members informing them that the Committee on Rules may meet next week to grant a rule for the consideration of the District of Columbia Ap-

propriations Act for the fiscal year 2001.

The Committee on Rules may grant a rule which would require that amendments be preprinted in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD. In this case, amendments must be preprinted prior to their consideration on the floor.

The Committee on Appropriations ordered the bill reported this afternoon and the Committee on Appropriations expects to file the report on the bill on Tuesday of next week. Copies of the bill as ordered reported can be obtained at the Office of Legislative Counsel and at the Committee on Appropriations office in Room H-218 of the Capitol.

Members should use the Office of Legislative Counsel to ensure that their amendments are properly drafted, and should check with the Office of the Parliamentarian to be certain their amendments comply with the rules of the House.

#### DISPENSING WITH CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday next.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

#### ADJOURNMENT TO MONDAY, JULY 24, 2000

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Monday next for morning hour debates.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

#### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA'S FISCAL YEAR 2001 BUDGET REQUEST ACT—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (H. DOC. NO. 106-271)

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States; which was read and, together with the accompanying papers, without objection, referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed:

*To the Congress of the United States:*

In accordance with section 202(c) of the District of Columbia Financial Management and Responsibility Assistance Act of 1995 and section 446 of the District of Columbia Self-Governmental Reorganization Act as amended in 1989, I am transmitting the District